

28 78B-6-121.5, Utah Code Annotated 1953



30 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

31 Section 1. Section **78B-6-121.5** is enacted to read:

32 **78B-6-121.5. Compact for Interstate Sharing of Putative Father Registry**

33 **Information -- Severability clause.**

34 COMPACT FOR INTERSTATE SHARING

35 OF PUTATIVE FATHER REGISTRY INFORMATION

36 ARTICLE I

37 PURPOSE

38 This compact enables the sharing of putative father registry information collected by a
39 state that is a party to the compact with all other states that are parties to the compact.

40 ARTICLE II

41 DEFINITIONS

42 (1) "Putative father" means ~~§→~~ [an unmarried] a ~~←§~~ man who may be the biological
42a father of a

43 child by virtue of having had a sexual relationship with a woman ~~§→~~ to whom he is not
43a married ~~←§~~ .

44 (2) "Putative father registry" mean a registry of putative fathers maintained and used by
45 a state as part of its legal process for protecting a putative father's rights.

46 (3) "State" includes a state, district, or territory of the United States.

47 ARTICLE III

48 ENTRY, WITHDRAWAL, AND AMENDMENTS

49 (1) A state is a party to this compact upon enactment of this compact by the state into
50 state law.

51 (2) Upon providing at least 60 days' notice of withdrawal from this compact to each
52 party to the compact and repealing the compact from state law, a state is no longer party to this
53 compact.

54 (3) This compact is amended upon enactment of the amendment into state law by each
55 party to the compact.

56 ARTICLE IV

57 INTERSTATE SHARING OF PUTATIVE FATHER REGISTRY INFORMATION

58 (1) A party to this compact shall communicate information in its putative father